Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development Bridge Design Section

Pre-Approved Software List

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Developer	Software Name
AASHTO, Inc.	AASHTOWare Bridge Design
AASHTO, Inc.	AASHTOWare Bridge Rating
AASHTO, Inc.	AASHTOWare PS Design Tool
Acuity Brands Lighting, Inc.	Visual
Bentley Systems, Inc.	CONBOX
Bentley Systems, Inc.	CONSPAN
Bentley Systems, Inc.	CONSPLICE
Bentley Systems, Inc.	GEOMATH
Bentley Systems, Inc.	Microstation
Bentley Systems, Inc.	OPEN Bridge Modeler
Bentley Systems, Inc.	RCPier
Bentley Systems, Inc.	RM Bridge
Bentley Systems, Inc.	STAAD
Bentley Systems, Inc.	STAAD Beava
Bentley Systems, Inc.	STAAD Section Wizard
Bridge Software Institute	FB-Pier
Computers and Structures, Inc.	CSiBridge
Computers and Structures, Inc.	CSiCOL
Computers and Structures, Inc.	SAP 2000
CSI, Ltd.	DDM
DOTD In-House	COMPSTIL
DOTD In-House	TimberC
Drive Systems Technology, Inc.	Power Gear
Elite Software	CHVAC 8
Ensoft, Inc.	L-Pile
Finite Element Analysis, Ltd.	LUSAS
LARSA, Inc.	LARSA 4D Bridge Plus
Lighting Analysts, Inc.	AGi32
MDX Software, Inc.	MDX
MIDASoft	Midas Civil
Operating Technology, Inc.	ЕТАР

Developer	Software Name
PTC, Inc.	MathCAD
Smart Bridge Technology	Smart Bridge Suites
SolidWorks Corporation	SOLIDWORKS
Structure Point, LLC	spColumn
University of Maryland	Sabre
Vista Data Vision	VDV
Wyoming DOT	BRASS-Culvert

Note:

- 1. If any other software is required for unique applications for which pre-approved software cannot be used, a synopsis of the software shall be submitted to the Bridge Design Engineer Administrator for approval prior to use. The synopsis shall include the name of the software and the developer, a general description of the functions, a certification from the software developer stating that it is maintained in accordance with the latest AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, and an account of the requester's experience and the experience of other organizations or agencies that use the software. Data/results from in-house software will not be accepted as part of the deliverable.
- 2. The cost of software shall be included in the overhead cost of the firm and not a direct expense for the projects.